#### **LEGAL NOTICE**

### STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2005, upon the application of TENSAS DELTA EXPLORATION COMPANY, LLC.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston L Sand and the Hosston Formation**, in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize a unit well for HOSS SU31, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.
- 2. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize a substitute unit well for HOSS L SUL, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.
- 3. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for HOSS RA SUA and HOSS L SUI, respectively, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.
- 4. To explicitly find that the proposed unit well, substitute unit well and alternate unit well are necessary to drain a portion of the Hosston L Sand and the Hosston Formation, underlying HOSS SU31, HOSS L SUL, HOSS L SUI, and HOSS RA SUA, respectively, which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well in such units.
- 5. To redefine the Hosston Formation in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR AS TO HOSS RA SUA and HOSS SU31, as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 6480 feet and 9610 feet (electric log measurements) in the Tensas Delta Expl. Co., LLC Freudendorf et al No.2 Well, located in Section 14, Township 17 North, Range 4 West, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.
- 6. To permit the downhole combination of the Hosston L Sand and the Hosston Formation in the wellbore of any well located in HOSS L SUL and HOSS SU31.
- 7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston L Sand is fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.

The Hosston Formation was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222-1, effective September 1, 1957.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

# SIMSBORO FIELD 05-982 thru 05-985

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

## **BY ORDER OF:**

# JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 8/2/05;8/5/05 S dnp

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.